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Preliminary Amendment

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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the claims as follows:

*Cancel Claim 1 and add the following claims:*

2. A teleconferencing system for conducting a teleconference among a plurality of participants comprising:

(a) a plurality of workstations each having monitors for displaying visual images, and associated AV capture and reproduction capabilities for capturing and reproducing video images and spoken audio of the participants; and

(b) a common collaboration initiator for initiating a plurality of types of collaboration among the plurality of participants, the types of collaboration being selected from the set consisting of data conferencing, videoconferencing, telephone conferencing, the sending of faxes and the sending of multimedia mail messages, the common collaboration initiator including

(i) a callee selector for selecting one or more desired participants from among a plurality of potential participants; and